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The Road Not Taken

Two roads diverged in a yellow wood,
And sorry I could not travel both
And be one traveler, long I stood
And looked down one as far as I could
To where it bent in the undergrowth;

Then took the other, as just as fair,
And having perhaps the better claim,
Because it was grassy and wanted wear;
Though as for that the passing there
Had worn them really about the same,

And both that morning equally lay
In leaves no step had trodden black.
Oh, I kept the first for another day!
Yet knowing how way leads on to way,
I doubted if I should ever come back.

I shall be telling this with a sigh
Somewhere ages and ages hence:
Two roads diverged in a wood, and I—
I took the one less traveled by,
And that has made all the difference.

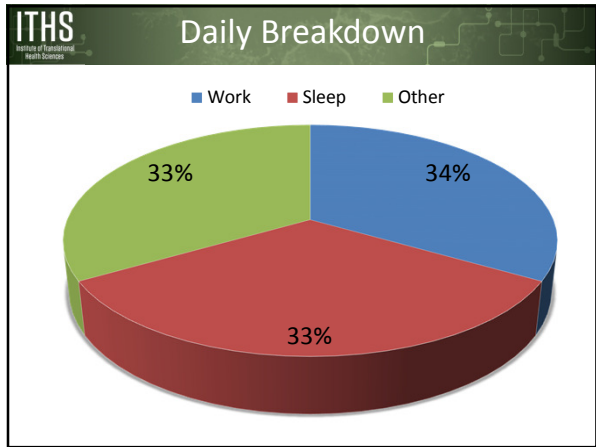
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Professional Development Planning for Research Coordinators

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Career Development Tips!


- Be curious: READ industry materials and take every opportunity to learn
- Never miss an opportunity to learn from your mistakes
- Know yourself, leverage your strengths and improve your weaknesses
- Collect your kudos
- Maintain a list of accomplishments
- Surround yourself with brilliant people
- Volunteer for exciting projects
- Stay on the leading edge of technology
- Exceed expectations
- Don't burn bridges
- Don't burn out
- The grass isn't always greener – the devil you know vs. the devil you don't
- Don't under value yourself
- Be your own best advocate – create your personal PR campaign
- Push it! Step outside your comfort zone.





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Peaks



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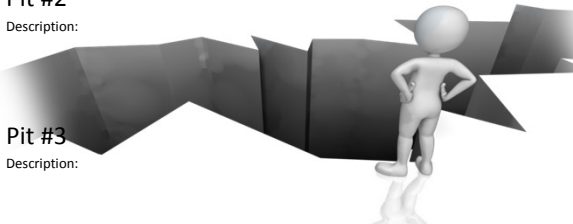
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Pits

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Values and Must Haves

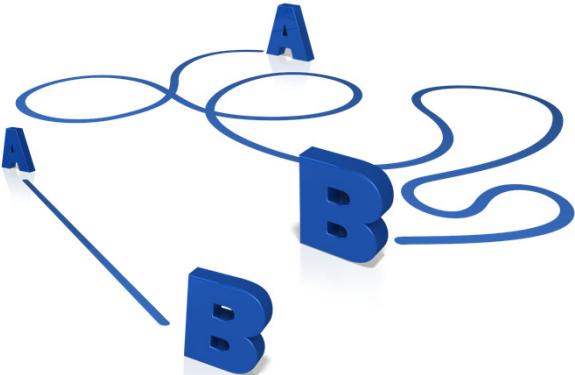
What values guide the kind of work you do?



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Determine where you want to be?



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What will it take to get you there?



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Put it in writing!



